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Ms. Marlene H. Dortch
Secretary
Federal Communications Commission
445 12th Street, SW, Room TWB-204
Washington, DC 20554

Re: Application by Verizon for Authorization To Provide In-Region, InterLATA Services in State of Virginia, Docket No. 02-214

Application by Qwest Communications International, Inc. for Authorization to Provide In-Region InterLATA Services in the States of Colorado, Idaho, Iowa, Montana, Nebraska, North Dakota, Utah, Washington, and Wyoming. Docket No. 02-314

Dear Ms. Dortch:

On October 21, 2002, Robert Quinn and the undersigned, both of AT&T, met with Matthew Brill, Legal Advisor to Commissioner Abernathy. Participating by telephone was E. Christopher Nurse, also of AT&T. During this discussion, AT&T explained that Verizon-Virginia fails to provide nondiscriminatory access to directory listings in accordance with checklist item eight and that Verizon's policy for provisioning loops to CLECs constitutes unlawful discrimination, extends to ordinary voice-grade loops (not just DS3 or DS1-grade loops), precludes Verizon's loop rates in Virginia from benchmarking with Verizon's loop rates in New York, and has resulted in non-TELRIC-compliant loop rates. In addition, we discussed switching rate benchmarking and explained why the July 12 Hearing Examiner's Report and the Virginia SCC's August 1 cover letter to the Commission are not lawful orders of the SCC.

In addition to Virginia 271 issues, we briefly discussed AT&T's recently filed comments in the above-referenced Qwest 271 proceeding. The Declaration of Edward F. Stemple served as the basis of the conversation.

The positions expressed during this meeting were consistent with AT&T's previously filed comments in the respective dockets. One electronic copy of this Notice is being submitted in accordance with Section 1.1206 of the Commission's rules.

Sincerely,

cc: Matthew Brill
Janice Myles
Uzoma Onyeije
Gary Remondino
Victoria Schlesinger